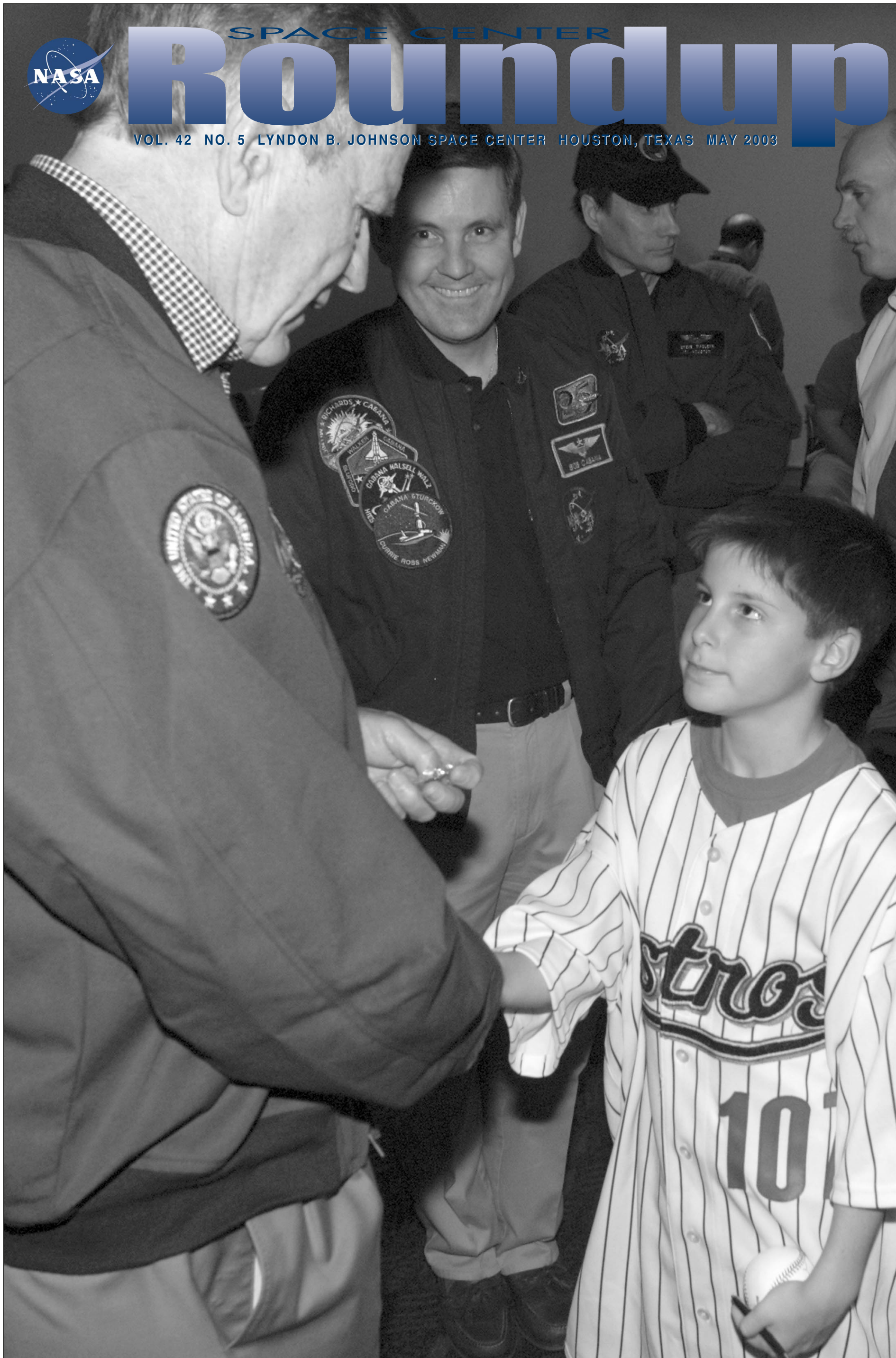


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President George H. W. Bush shakes hands with David Ramon, son of STS-107 Payload Specialist Ilan Ramon, at the Houston Astros' home opener on April 1. The Astros honored the crew with a pregame ceremony and will be wearing the STS-107 patch on their uniforms during the 2003 season. Bob Cabana, Director of the Flight Crew Operations Directorate, can be seen in the background along with Astronaut Steve MacLean and Bill Readdy, Associate Administrator of the NASA Office of Space Flight. **For more on the Astros' home opener, please see page 6.**